## In the Specification

Please amend the specification by replacing paragraphs [0015] - [0017] with the following:

FIGS. 1 and 2 illustrate an outside door handle according to an embodiment of the present invention. When a user pulls a door handle 20 under the FIG. 1 state, the door handle 20 rotates in relation to a handle base 10 as shown in FIG. 2 and latch devices connected to the door handle 20 are activated. As illustrated in FIG. 3, which depicts a cross-sectional view of a coupling relation between the door handle 20 and the door base 10, the door handle 20 is integrally formed at one a distal end thereof with a pivoting portion 21, which functions as a rotating center of the door handle 20. The pivoting portion 21 is fromed at the other distal an opposite end thereof with of the handle 20 is a rearward-extended guide portion 22 for enabling the door handle 20 to be extracted outside of the handle base 10. The guide portion 22 is formed at a distal end thereof with a hitching portion 23 for preventing the other distal end of the door handle 20 from being detached from the handle base 10.

[0016] The handle base 10 is formed at a distal one end thereof with a handle rotating space 11 for the pivoting portion 21 of the door handle 20 to be inserted thereinto and to function as a rotating center. The handle base 10 is also fFormed at the other distal an opposite end thereof with of the handle base 20 is a handle operating space 12 for the guide portion 22 of the door handle 20 and the hitching portion 23 to be accommodated thereinto.

[0017] The pivoting portion 21 is formed with a stopper 25, which protrudes toward the handle base 10 in a direction perpendicular to the rotating surface of the door handle 20. The handle rotating space 11 is defined with a stopper groove 27 into which the stopper is inserted. The stopper groove 27 is comprised of a radial direction restricting portion 29 for restricting movement of the stopper 25 to a rotating direction of the door handle 20 and a circumferential direction restricting portion 31 for restricting movement of the stopper 25 to a rotating direction of the door handle 20.

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